to for use in the improvement of highways and roads as therein provided, the following war materials, machinery, and equipment pertaining to the Military Establishment out of the reserve stocks of the said Military Establishment, to wit: One hundred five-ton caterpillar tractors complete with tools and spare parts; and one thousand motor trucks, three-quarter to five ton capacity. The freight charges incurred in the transfer of the property provided

for in this provision shall be defrayed by the Department of Agri-

Freight charges, etc.

culture, and if the War Department shall load any of the said property for shipment, the expense of said loading shall be reimbursed to the War Department by the Department of Agriculture by an adjustment of the appropriations of the two departments. State title to equip. The title to said materials, machinery, and equipment shall be and ments, etc.
Sale, etc., prohibited. remain vested in the State for use in the improvement of the public highways, and no such materials, machinery, and equipment in serviceable condition shall be sold or the title to the same transferred to any individual, company, or corporation.

Approved, March 4, 1925.

March 4, 1925. [H. R. 8236.] [Public, No. 615.]

CHAP. 540.—An Act For the relief of the Government of Canada.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Canada. Payment to, for re-Payment to, for re-Payme out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Government of Canada the sum of \$4,470.76 in full settlement and satisfaction of its claim for reimbursement for expenditures incurred in repairing damages to the lower gates of Lock Numbered 15 of the Cornwall Canal, Ontario, Canada, caused by United States ship Eagle Numbered 3 on November 15, 1918.

Approved, March 4, 1925.

March 4, 1925. [H. R. 9028.] [Public, No. 616.]

CHAP. 541.—An Act To authorize the addition of certain lands to the Whitman National Forest.

National forests. Whitman Nati Forest, Oreg.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the National United States of America in Congress assembled, That within the following-described areas any lands not in Government ownership Lands offered in exchange, for addition to. Which are found by the Secretary of Agriculture to be chiefly valu-Vol. 42, p. 465. able for national forest purposes may be offered in exchange under the provisions of the Act of March 20, 1922 (Forty-second Statutes at Large, page 465), upon notice as therein provided, and upon acceptance of title, shall become parts of Whitman National Forest, Oregon, and any of such described areas in Government ownership chiefly valuable for national forest purposes and not now parts of a

Government-owned lands may be added.

> national forest may be added to the Whitman National Forest by proclamation of the President, subject to all valid existing claims: In township 9 south, range 36 east: Section 13, section 24, east half of section 36.

Description.

In township 9 south, range 37 east: Sections 19 to 22, inclusive; sections 27, 28, 30, and 31; northeast quarter of section 33; sections 34 to 36, inclusive.

In township 9 south, range 38 east: Sections 31 to 33, inclusive. In township 9 south, range 39 east: South half of section 8; sections 15 to 17, inclusive; sections 21 and 22; sections 27 to 29, inclusive; sections 32 to 34, inclusive.